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SUBJ: ASSYRIAN AND REMENIAN REFUGEES

REF: GENEVA 1857 AND PREVIOUS

- 1. FIRST THREE DAYS OF INTERVIEWS WENT SWIMINGLY.
 INS OFFICER INTERVIEWED APPROXIMATELY 125 FAMILY HEADS AND VISA OFFICERS INTERVIEWED NEARLY 300 DEPENDENTS.
- 2. PRESENT EVENTS IN BEIRUT HAVE FORCED CANCELLATION OF FOURTH AND FINAL DAY OF INTERVIEWS. WCC AND EMBASSY AGREED IT UNSAFE MOVE EITHER REFUGEES OR STAFF TO EMBASSY.
- 3. INS OFFICER PAPPAS WILL RETURN TO ATHENS MARCH 13
 AS SCHEDULED, ASSUMING FLIGHT OPERATS. ONLY RATIONAL
 SOLUTION FOR REFUGEES SCHEDULED FOR INTERVIEW IS HAVE THEM JOIN
 REMAINING REFUGEES IN ATHENS SAFEHAVEN FLIGHTS.

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4. IT NOT YET CLEAR WHEN FLIGHTS CAN RESUME. WCC'S DE JONGE

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TOMORROW FLIGHT CANCELLED.LAMBRAKIS
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